

In 1955, when Vickie Getz was 10 months old, American founded the industry's first training school for professional flight attendants.

It's a school where more than two hundred thousand people apply each year. (Less than one-half of one percent are finally accepted.) It's a school where students are taught to make your flights safe and enjoyable. (They already know how to be nice.)

And it's a school whose graduates never stop learning. (They regularly study new procedures and review old ones.) It takes a special kind of training to be an American Airlines Flight Attendant. And a very special kind of person.

It takes the best people to make the best airline. Vickie Getz is one of them, and we thought you'd like to meet her.